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1. The State Administration for Material Procurement's (S.V.M.) main responsibility is the effective distribution of all raw materials in East Germany. In order to do this, it collects and collates all the necessary data on supplies available and then, in conjunction with the State Planning Commission and the Department for the placing of Orders (Abteilung fuer Auftragserteilung), arranges for distribution through the appropriate distributing organization (D.H.Z., G.S.O.V., Z.B.K., and the corresponding departments of the Bezirk Councils) to trade and industry (both nationalized and private), to the occupation forces, and the police, the Party organizations, the National Reserve and various miscellaneous official bodies. In addition to these duties, the S.V.M. is responsible for the control of working standards (Arbeitsnormen), the design and manufacture of all planning forms, the collection and utilization of scrap and waste materials. In the exercise of all these functions, it is empowered to direct Ministries and State Secretariats controlling particular branches of trade and industry (mines, chemicals, engineering, construction, supply etc).

- 2.. Attached as Appendix "A" is a plan of the organization of the S.V.M. as of March 1953.

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APPENDIX A

ORGANIZATION OF THE STATE ADMINISTRATION OF MATERIAL PROCUREMENT(STAATLICHE VERWALTUNG FUER MATERIALVERSORGUNG)

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Main Department of
Material Planning
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Office of Requirements
and Supply PlanningOffice of Material Planning
and Equipment Balances

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Industrial Quota Bearer Section
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Nonindustrial Quota Bearer Section
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Local Economy Section
Gertrud Klemt
Material Consumption Norms Section
Hans Spiller
Methods Section
Georg Stephan

Head: Otto Reisinger
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Metallurgy and Machine Construction Section
Horst Wellnitz
Basic Materials Industry Section
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Light Industry Section
Bruno Aust
Accounting Section
Gerda Budde

Main Department of
Government Orders

Head: Frau Charlotte Brietz
(Secretary: Ingrid Tischer)
Planning Section
?
Red Army Section
Kurt Koch
KVP Section
Erwin Rahne
Section of Central Control Organizations
(Abt. Zentralversteuerte Organisationen)
Erwin Schlag
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Office of Metallurgy and
Machine Construction

Head: Hugo Schneider
 Metallurgy Section
 Heinz Schulz
 General Machine Construction Section
 Emil Jaeger
 Heavy Machine Construction Section
 Martin Hahn
 Electronics, Precision
 Mechanics and Optics Section
 Heinz Thyrolf

Office of Basic Materials
Industry

Head: Ernst Huetter
 (Secretary: Charlotte Karoz)
 Mineral Oil Section
 Karl Luft
 Chemistry Section
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 Coal and Power Section
 Alexander Jerichow
 Construction Materials
 Section
 Bruno Sperling

Office of
Light Industry

Head: Karl Herzberg
 (Secretary: Ilse Andree)
 Textiles and Leather Section
 Edgar Koenig
 Synthetics and Paper Section
 Hans Langenstrasse
 Wood Section
 Karl Schneider

Main Department of State
Wholesale Trade

Head: Herbert Duemde
 (Secretary: Sonja Kahlfeld)
 Planning Section
 Gunther Matovsch (sic)
 Basic Problems Section
 (Grundsatzfragen)
 Karl Wilke

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Reserves and Material Savings

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 Metallic Scrap Section
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